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## Onkwe'tà:ke lakotokénhstha PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

## Important Notice, especially to hunters, regarding KEPO fieldwork at Big Fence

(Kahnawake – 14, Seskehkó:wa/September 2021)

The Kahnawà:ke Environment Protection Office (KEPO) would like to inform the community that vegetation inventories will be continuing in the Big Fence area this Wednesday and Thursday (September 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup>) as part of their project to assess the ecological integrity of these lands. KEPO staff, along with a consultant, will be present throughout each day.

KEPO understands that community members may be in the area for hunting purposes during this time. All participants will be wearing high-visibility clothing, and we would ask that community members be aware of the fieldwork that is taking place and use appropriate caution.

For ultimate safety, it is requested that hunting should be halted for these two days.

For more information, please contact KEPO at <u>environment.protection@mck.ca</u> or **450-635-0600**.